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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Jun HAMAKITA et al.

Serial No.: 10/796,301

Group Art Unit: 3611

Filed: March 10, 2004

Examiner: Marc Scharich

For: ELECTRIC POWER STEERING DEVICE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on March 15, 2007:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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REMARKS

As a preliminary matter, Applicants' representative would like to thank the Examiner for courtesies extended in the telephonic interview conducted on March 15, 2007.

Applicants submit this Statement to comply with the requirements of M.P.E.P. § 713.04.

In the interview, the Examiner indicated that the Amendment filed on January 19, 2007 has been entered and <u>prosecution has been reopened</u>. The Examiner further indicated that a new non-Final Office Action has been issued and should be mailed shortly.

Date: March 15, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,

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